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TAGS: SREF, MY
SUBJECT: VIETNAMESE REFUGEE: NGUYEN DINH TIEC, FAMILY OF SEVEN

REF: (A) PARIS 35331 (NOTAL), (B) STATE 238640 (NOTAL),
(C) STATE 262377 (NOTAL).

1. NGUYEN DINH TIEC, FAMILY OF SEVEN, WAS ACCEPTED FOR RESETTLEMENT BY FRANCE PRIOR TO HIS ACCEPTANCE BY U.S. UNDER EPP. IN KL 5630, EMB. REQUESTED DEPT'S ADVISORY OPINION AS TO DISPOSITION OF REFUGEES ACCEPTED BY THIRD COUNTRY PRIOR TO ACCEPTANCE BY U.S. DEPT. ADVISED US THAT ONLY THOSE REFUGEES IN CATEGORY I-A SHOULD BE GIVEN OPTION TO CHOOSE COUNTRY OF RESETTLEMENT. AL REFUGEES IN OTHER CATEGORIES MUST ACCEPT COUNTRY WHICH FIRST OFFERS ASYLUM. REVISION IS TO MAXIMIZE USE OF SCARCE PAROLE NUMBERS AND ENABLE OTHER NATIONS TO ASSUME SHARE OF REFUGEES RESETTLEMENT BURDEN.

2. NGUYEN DINH TIEC WAS CATEGORY I-B; MARRIED, NONMINOR BROTHER OF PAROLEE IN U.S., HENCE UPON FRENCH OFFER OF ASYLUM HE WAS NO LONGER ELIGIBLE FOR PAROLE INTO U.S. UNDER EPP. SAMUEL VISNER WAS UNAWARE OF FRENCH OFFER AT THE TIME HIS LETTER WAS SENT TO TIEC.

3. THE REASON FOR TIEC'S RESETTLEMENT IN FRANCE INSTEAD OF U.S. HAS BEEN REPEATEDLY AND EXTENSIVELY EXPLAINED TO HIM BY BOTH EMB. AND UNHCR HERE.

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4. SUGGEST ANY FURTHER INQUIRIES ON THIS CASE BE DIRECTED TO

DEPT. WHICH HAS ESTABLISHED GENERAL GROUNDRULES FOR SUCH CASES.

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